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*Filing Date Granted***Items Required To Avoid Abandonment:**

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

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In re Appln. of: **JASON URBANSKI et al.**

Appln. No.: **10/814,018**

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For: **MEDICAL GRASPING DEVICE**

Attorney Docket No: **8627-373 (PA-5270-CIP2)**

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In accordance with the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application Filing Date Granted mailed June 14, 2004, "Part 2" of which is attached, enclosed herewith for filing are two fully-executed Declarations for Patent Application for the above-referenced patent application.

Applicant has calculated the fees associated with the filing of this Response as follows:

- ☐ A basic filing fee in an amount of \$_____ under 37 C.F.R. §1.16(a).
- ☐ An additional filing fee in an amount of \$_____ under 37 C.F.R. §1.16(b), (c) and/or (d).
- ☒ A surcharge in an amount of \$130.00 under 37 C.F.R. §1.16(e).
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Respectfully submitted,

October 13, 2004

Date



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Enclosure: Response to Notice to File Missing Parts (duplicate copy)
two (fully-executed) Declarations